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SUBJ: WOLSTENCROFT EXTRADITION

REF: STATE 207395

1. CONSISTENT WITH REFTEL, I DUSCUSSED WITH MINEXTAFF ADDERLEY TODAY THE WOLSTENCROFT CASE. I LEFT WITH ADDERLEY A COPY OF THE TEXAS INDICTMENT TOGETHER WITH ALL RELEVANT ATTACHMENTS. I INDICATED TO ADDERLEY THAT IT WAS MY UNDERSTANDING THAT OUR OWN PEOPLE HAD CONCLUDED THAT THIS WAS PROBABLY NOT AN EXTRADITABLE OFFENSE. ACCORDINGLY, I RAISED THE QUESTION WITH HIM AS TO WHETHER THERE WAS NOT SOME WAY IN WHICH MR. WOLSTENCROFT MIGHT LEGALLY BE INVITED BY THE GCOB TO LEAVE THE COUNTRY SO THAT HE MIGHT EVENTUALLY COME UNDER U.S. JURISDICTION.

2. MR. ADDERLEY AGREED TO LOOK AT THE MATERIALS I LEFT WITH HIM, BUT OFFERED AN IMMEDIATE OPINION THAT THERE WAS NOTHING THAT HE WOULD RECOMMEND DOING OTHER THAN PLACING AN EXTRADITION REQUEST BEFORE THE COURTS. I REITERATED THAT I UNDERSTOOD FROM OUR PEOPLE THAT THIS WAS PROBABLY NOT A VALID EXTRADITION CASE. I MENTIONED TO HIM THAT NOT TOO LONG AGO IT HAD COME TO MY ATTENTION THAT A MR. ROBERT DESALVO WHO WAS UNDER INDICTMENT FOR HAVING PRODUCED THE MOVIE "DEEP THROAT" HAD BEEN INVITED TO LEAVE THE BAHAMAS ON SHORT NOTICE. I PRESUMED THIS WAS ON THE GROUNDS THAT HE WAS AN UNDESIRABLE ALIEN.

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EM ADDERLEY RESPONDED THAT HE WAS TOTALLY UNFAMILIAR WITH

THAT CASE. HE SAID HE WOULD SUGGEST, HOWEVER, THAT I MIGHT CHECK WITH THE IMMIGRATION SERVICE TO SEE WHAT THEIR RULES AND REGULATIONS WERE. HE WAS UNFAMILIAR WITH THEM. HE DID GO ON TO SAY, HOWEVER, THAT IF IN THIS CASE THE IMMIGRATION SERVICE BROUGHT THE MATTER TO HIM HE WOULD HAVE TO ANSWER AS HE HAD TO ME, THAT IS, THAT THE MATTER SHOULD BE HANDLED IN THE COURTS.

4. DOES THE DEPARTMENT WANT US TO PURSUE THE MATTER FURTHER WITH THE BAHAMIAN IMMIGRATION SERVICE?
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